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Election of 20 members of the Commission on Human Settlements

Note by the Secretary-General

1. The Commission on Human Settlements has 58 members. Pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 32/162 of 19 December 1977, 40/202 of 17 December 1985 and 45/264 of 13 May 1991, the Economic and Social Council is to elect, at its resumed organizational session for 1994, 20 members of the Commission, for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 1995, to fill the vacancies that will occur on 31 December 1994 upon the expiration of the terms of the following members: Antigua and Barbuda, Bangladesh, Brazil, Cameroon, Chile, Colombia, Egypt, Finland, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Japan, Nigeria, Pakistan, Romania, Russian Federation, Sierra Leone, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Zimbabwe.

2. In accordance with paragraph 1 of section II of General Assembly resolution 32/162, the 20 members are to be elected on the following basis:

Six seats for African States;

Four seats for Asian States;

Two seats for Eastern European States;

Four seats for Latin American and Caribbean States;

Four seats for Western European and other States.

3. The membership of the Commission in 1994 is given in the annex below.

Annex

COMMISSION ON HUMAN SETTLEMENTS

(58 members; four-year term)

Membership in 1994

Sixteen seats for African States

Botswana (1995), Cameroon* (1994), Egypt* (1994), Ghana (1995), Kenya (1995), Lesotho (1996), Libyan Arab Jamahiriya (1996), Madagascar (1996), Malawi (1996), Nigeria* (1994), Sierra Leone* (1994), Somalia (1996), Sudan (1995), Uganda* (1994), United Republic of Tanzania (1995), Zimbabwe* (1994)

Thirteen seats for Asian States

Bangladesh* (1994), China (1996), India (1995), Indonesia (1996), Iran (Islamic Republic of)* (1994), Japan* (1994), Jordan (1995), Malaysia (1995), Pakistan* (1994), Papua New Guinea (1996), Philippines (1995), Sri Lanka (1995), United Arab Emirates (1996)

Six seats for Eastern European States

Azerbaijan (1996), Belarus (1995), Bulgaria (1995), Hungary (1996), Romania* (1994), Russian Federation* (1994)

Ten seats for Latin American and Caribbean States

Antigua and Barbuda* (1994), Bahamas (1996), Barbados (1995), Brazil* (1994), Chile* (1994), Colombia* (1994), Haiti (1995), Jamaica (1996), Mexico (1995), Venezuela (1996)

Thirteen seats for Western European and other States

Austria (1995), Canada (1996), Finland* (1994), France (1996), Germany (1995), Greece (1995), Italy (1996), Netherlands (1996), Norway (1995), Sweden (1996), Turkey* (1994), United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland* (1994), United States of America* (1994)

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* Retiring member.